

General Assembly

Raised Bill No. 163

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Referred to Committee on Human Services

Introduced by: (HS)

AN ACT RESCINDING THE AUTHORITY OF THE COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SERVICES TO SEEK A WAIVER FROM FEDERAL LAW CONCERNING TRANSFER OF ASSETS UNDER THE MEDICAID PROGRAM.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) Not later than thirty days
- 2 after the effective date of this section, the Commissioner of Social
- 3 Services shall withdraw the transfer of assets waiver application filed
- 4 pursuant to section 17b-261a of the general statutes, revision of 1958,
- 5 revised to 2003.
- 6 (b) If said waiver application has been approved prior to the
- 7 effective date of this section, the commissioner shall not implement
- 8 any provision contained in the waiver application.
- 9 Sec. 2. (*Effective from passage*) Section 17b-261a of the general 10 statutes, as amended, is repealed.

This act shall take effect as follows:	
Section 1	from passage

Sec. 2 from passage

Statement of Purpose:

To compel the Commissioner of Social Services to withdraw the pending waiver application concerning the transfer of assets under the Medicaid program, prohibit the commissioner from implementing the terms of said waiver in the event that it has been approved prior to the effective date of this act and repeal section 17b-261a of the general statutes.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]